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OF A SEGMENTED TRANSMISSION LINE AND A
TRANSMISSION LINE RESULTING THEREFROM

Art Unit : 2123

Examiner : Hugh M. Jones

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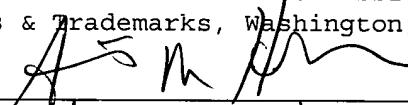
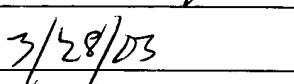
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